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Re: Kashef v. BNP Paribas SA, No. 16-cv-3228 (AKH)(JW)

Dear Judge Hellerstein:

Class Counsel respectfully writes to further update the Court in connection with the Court's June 26, 2024, Order Regulating Proceedings (ECF No. 544), instructing Plaintiffs to issue a Touhy request to relevant government agencies for purposes of identifying and distributing notice to Class Members.

On August 26, 2024, the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (and its subpart, U.S. Immigration and Citizenship Services) and the U.S. Department of State requested an extension to respond to Plaintiffs' Touhy request from August 29, 2024, until September 5, 2024. Plaintiffs consented to the request.

Respectfully submitted,

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